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- -4 Steps to Control Your Diabetes for Life
- -Be Smart About Your Heart. Control the ABCs of Diabetes, A1C, Blood Pressure, Cholesterol
- -If You Have Diabetes...Know Your Blood Sugar Numbers!
- -Tips for Helping a Person With Diabetes
- -Am I at Risk for Type 2 Diabebes?
- -More Than 50 Ways to Prevent Diabetes
- -Tips for Kids with Type 2 Diabetes Series

What is Diabetes?

Be Active

Stay at a Healthy Weight

Eat Healthy Foods

-Overview of Diabetes in Children and Adolescents